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## The Bulletin

Norwich, Thursday, Jan. 27, 1916.

### VARIOUS MATTERS

Light motor vehicle lamps at 5.25  
today.

In a number of cities of the state  
there is a shortage of charcoal.

Wireless telegraphy enthusiasts have  
organized the New London Radio club.

A big supply of coal in bags has been  
landed on the government wharf at  
Port Terry.

Archibald Gilchrist, who is with the  
Dippee Opera company, is playing in  
Buffalo now.

Growers of house plants note how  
they are beginning to show the effects  
of mild weather.

In the new Telephone Directory,  
about 3,350 stations are listed in the  
Norwich division.

The mercury had reached 64 degrees  
outside a Franklin street door  
Wednesday noon.

Charles H. Brown has started for a  
trip to the Panama canal which will  
occupy about a month.

Tides at the shore towns, which were  
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have become normal again.

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### PERSONALS

Louis L. Gotthelf has been in New  
York on a business trip this week.

Mrs. Bertha Burrows of Poquonoc  
and Mrs. Libby Denison of Groton were  
city visitors Wednesday.

An Ashford correspondent notes that  
Mrs. P. J. Cassidy of Norwich was a  
recent visitor at the Oaks.

Mrs. Elvina Bowker, Mrs. Isabelle  
Stewart and Mrs. Emily R. Kingdom  
of New London were in Norwich on  
Wednesday, on their way to attend  
the meeting of Thames Past Noble  
Grande's association in Jewett City.

### RECREATION CLUB AT HALF WAY POINT

Finishes First Term of Ten Weeks—  
Blue Sox Lead in Games.

Two new members were admitted  
into the Ladies' Health and Recreation  
club at the club meeting on Wednes-  
day evening. In the group games the  
Red Sox gained a victory over the  
Athletes. The Athletes were given  
15 points for extra men and the Giants  
5 points. The standing of the teams  
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## ACQUAINT IN BUCKLEY TRIAL

Jury Finds Him Not Guilty on Manslaughter Charge Arising  
From Auto Accident—Considered Case About Forty-five  
Minutes—Charles Henry Sisson of Stonington on Pro-  
bation Until May Term of Court.

A verdict of not guilty was returned  
by the jury in the criminal superior  
court here on Wednesday afternoon in  
the case of William H. Buckley of  
Baiton, who has been charged with  
manslaughter because of the death of Charles J. Mc-  
Kay after he had been struck by the  
Buckley automobile.

The accident happened in this city on  
June 23 last, on Burnham square.

Mrs. Margaret A. Buckley, who was  
riding with her husband and daughter  
in the automobile which her father was driving  
at the time of the accident, was a  
student at the Connecticut Woman's  
college.

Miss Buckley testified that at the  
time of the accident she heard her  
mother scream and upon looking up  
saw the hat of a man who was riding  
on the trolley car that was there.

She testified that she saw the man  
riding with her husband and daughter  
in the automobile, testified that she  
did not really see Mr. McKay until he  
was going about 10 miles an hour. She  
felt the jar of the car when the clutch  
was thrown over.

This concluded the testimony and  
Attorney John D. Hall began the open-  
ing argument for the state.

He was followed by Charles V. James  
and Arthur M. Brown, attorneys for  
Mr. Buckley, and State Attorney Hull  
closed for the prosecution.

Judge William L. Bennett occupied  
about 45 minutes in his charge to the  
jury, and after they had had dinner  
they took up consideration of the evi-  
dence in the case. After about 45 min-  
utes they returned and reported  
through their foreman, Alfred M.  
Clarke, of North Stonington, that their  
verdict was "Not guilty."

As this was to be the last trial of  
the term, the 12 jurors were thanked  
by the court for their services and  
were paid off and discharged by Clerk  
Parsons.

Continued to May Term.

Before court adjourned for the day,  
the case of Charles Henry Sisson of  
Stonington, accused of non-support of  
his family, was brought up. He was  
placed in the custody of Probation Of-  
ficer Mansfield and his case was con-  
tinued till the May term. He is to  
earn money for the support of his  
wife and child.

Court went out until the next morn-  
ing at 10 o'clock, when there is to be a  
short session.

### BROUGHT TANK CAR OVER TROLLEY LINE.

10,000 Gallons of Fuel Oil Run Into  
Hopkin's and Allen's New Tank.

A tank car of fuel oil, 10,000 gallons,  
consigned to the Hopkins and Allen  
Arms company from the Standard Oil  
company of New York, was taken over  
the Shore Line Trolley tracks from  
Taft's station to the Hopkins and Al-  
len place on Franklin street about  
midnight Wednesday. The tank car  
was run from the New Haven Railroad  
tracks at Taft's station to Franklin  
square by the big Shore Line trolley  
car and from the square it was pushed  
up Franklin street to the Hop-  
kins and Allen building, arriving at  
12.15 o'clock.

The tank car was emptied by a pipe  
line running from the bottom of the  
tank to the huge tank which was re-  
cently set up at the square. Little  
difficulty was experienced in empty-  
ing the tank as the pipe line ran down  
grade from the tank car to the receiv-  
ing tank.

### DAN D. HOME IS MONTVILLE TOWN CLERK.

Appointed to Succeed the Late C. N.  
Chappell.

Dan D. Home has been appointed  
town clerk of Montville to take the  
place of the late Charles N. Chappell.  
Mr. Home is well qualified for the po-  
sition, as he has held a number of town  
offices and filled them with a  
good record.

He has been a member of the town  
committee about four years; he was  
representative two years, first select-  
man for about seven years, assessor  
for five years, and tax collector for ten  
years.

Miss Jennie Wood has been en-  
gaged as act as his stenographer for a  
few days, so as to get the business into  
shape, as it has piled up because of  
the illness and death of the former  
town clerk.

Mr. Home took up his  
duties on Tuesday morning.

### HUMANE SOCIETY AGAINST KILLING OF DEER.

Calls It Unjust, Inhumane and Waste-  
ful Under the Present Law.

In his report at the annual meeting  
of the Connecticut Humane society on  
Wednesday at Hartford President Wil-  
liam De Loss Love characterized the  
deer law passed by the last general  
assembly as "unjust, inhumane and waste-  
ful." He intimated that efforts would  
be made to amend the law at the  
next session. He said there was  
no accurate record of the number of  
deer killed since Aug. 1, but the num-  
ber was probably in the thousands.

The financial reports showed a  
capital fund of more than \$90,000; re-  
ceipts of \$15,710 for the year, and dis-  
bursements of \$15,382.

### LARGEST BURNS BANQUET.

Committee Anticipates the Best That  
Norwich Has Known.

There will be 230 at the Burns ban-  
quet at the Worcester house this even-  
ing. The Worcester house this evening  
and the affair promises to be the  
most enjoyable of any that have been  
arranged by the committee.

Hon. Homer S. Cummings of Stam-  
ford, Rev. J. B. Danforth of New Lon-  
don and Mayor T. C. Murphy are down  
on the list of speakers, and Postmaster  
Ervin P. Mahan of New London, who  
expected to attend will also probably  
be called upon.

The tickets that have been sold will  
make it the largest Burns banquet  
that Norwich has known.

Miss Grace Taft Entertains.

Miss Grace Taft of No. 103  
River avenue gave a birthday whist on  
Tuesday evening to 12 of her young  
friends. The guest of honor was Miss  
Dorothy Wulf, whose birthday anni-  
versary was also to be observed.

Dainty refreshments were served.  
The color scheme of the dining room  
was pink and white. Choice flowers  
were tastefully arranged in the dif-  
ferent rooms.

Musical selections, both vocal and  
instrumental, were rendered. Misses  
Taft and Wulf received many happy  
returns of the day.

Tag Day For Jewish Relief Fund.

Today (Thursday) appointed by  
President Westwood Wilson as Jew-  
ish Relief day, hundreds of good  
volunteers will solicit contributions  
from the Norwich public in general  
and it is hoped the response will be  
generous.

Brothers Schwartz and Brothers  
have started the ball rolling, as Abner  
Schwartz announced at the mass  
meeting in the town hall on Tuesday  
night last. Schwartz Brothers would  
give 10 per cent of their entire busi-  
ness receipts on Thursday.

Almost Summer Heat.

Alester carrier who keeps his eye  
on the weather records from year to  
year called attention to the fact that  
the thermometer had reached 45 and  
stood at 45 and went down the next  
day to 18. "This year the weather  
was almost at summer heat with mer-  
cury standing at 86 at its highest in  
the middle of the afternoon."

Western divorcees now distinguish  
themselves by wearing a ring on the  
little finger of the right hand.

## STATE'S DEATH RATE HIGH IN DECEMBER.

Above Average for Month for Last Five  
Years.

According to the January bulletin of  
the state board of health, there were  
1,815 deaths in the state during the  
month of December. This was 275  
more than in November and 141 more  
than in December of last year, and 124  
more than the average number of  
deaths during December for the five  
years preceding.

The death rate expressed as an an-  
nual rate per 1,000 estimated popula-  
tion was 15.0 for the large towns, for  
the small towns 14.9, and for the whole  
state including state institutions 15.3.

The deaths from infectious diseases  
were 225, being 13.3 per cent of the  
total mortality.

Births and marriages in November  
and deaths in eastern Connecticut  
towns during December were as fol-  
lows:

Norwich—Living births, 42; still  
births, 1; marriages, 20; total deaths,  
53; death rate, 17.3; deaths under 1  
year, 6; deaths 1 to 5 years, 2; deaths  
5 years and over, 14; deaths from ty-  
phoid fever, 1; diphtheria and croup,  
2; deaths from measles, 1; other forms  
of tuberculosis, 1; cancer, 3; lobar and  
broncho pneumonia, 1; cancer, 3; ac-  
cidents, 2; institutions, 23; non-resi-  
dents, 10.

New London—Living births, 59; still  
births, 1; marriages, 25; total deaths,  
55; death rate, 17.3; deaths under 1  
year, 5; deaths 1 to 5 years, 3; deaths  
5 years and over, 10; deaths from ty-  
phoid fever, 1; diphtheria and croup, 2;  
deaths from measles, 1; other forms of  
tuberculosis, 1; cancer, 1; lobar and  
broncho pneumonia, 1; cancer, 1; ac-  
cidents, 1; deaths in institutions, 10;  
non-residents, 4.

Groton—Living births, 8; marriages,  
1; deaths, 10; death rate, 17.7; deaths,  
55 years and over, 6; deaths from tu-  
berculosis of lungs, 1; lobar and bron-  
cho pneumonia, 1; accidents, 1.

Stonington—Living births, 14; still  
births, 4; marriages, 12; death rate, 17.1;  
deaths under 1 year, 3; 5 years and  
over, 2; deaths from whooping cough, 1;  
tuberculosis of lungs, 1; cancer, 2; lobar  
and broncho pneumonia, 1; accidents, 1.

Plainfield—Living births, 13; mar-  
riages, 9; deaths, 11; death rate, 17.1;  
deaths under 1 year, 3; 5 years and  
over, 2; deaths from tuberculosis of  
the lungs, 1; deaths from measles, 1;  
deaths from whooping cough, 1; deaths  
from tuberculosis of the lungs, 3; lobar  
and broncho